Attorney Docket No. 209684 Client Reference No. KB/P10074US00

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In re Application of: Vermin et

Application No.

09/787,004 May 23, 200

Filed: For:

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

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- ☐ Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- Other: Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 of Dr. Henry-Eric Spinnler; Exhibit A

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TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE			one-month		\$ 0.00		\$110.00	
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CLAIM FEE	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
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- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216.
  - Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 29, 2003, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8								
I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, ⊠ being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or ☐ being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Attention: Examiner , Art Unit , Facsimile Number								
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